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Poets Corner
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Agenda
12/8/2021

I. Welcome and Introductions

a. Introductions

- i. Town – Joe Connelly, Commission Members
- ii. Belmont Hill – Greg Schneider, Jeff Drucker – David Nardone (Stantec)
- iii. Archdiocese – Father Marc, Dan Shine

II. Purpose of Meeting

- a. Suggested at October public hearing that a direct abutters meeting may be beneficial and we agreed
- b. Took input received at the first meeting included but not limited to:
 - i. Shelley Road Conditions, Playground, Traffic Concerns, Wetland Impact, Lighting Concerns, Turf Verse Natural Grass, Walking Trail and Other Site Amenities, Parking Concerns
 - ii. Also overall question about usage for groups and time of use.

III. Stantec to review plan

IV. Feedback and Q/A

V. Wrap-up

- a. Thank you for everyone's thoughtful comments.
- b. From this point we will take the information and feedback we heard tonight and generate this into a plan and responses that will be shared at a subsequent public meeting.

Poets Corner

Public Input Session #2

January 5, 2022 – 7 pm

Joe Connelly, Dan Shine, Greg Schneider, Jeff Drucker, David Nardone, Phil Lasker, Scott Walker, Shirley Canniff

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Gersh – Good plan, keep trees abutting properties as much as possible

Parmer – Traffic Signal at crossing – Arlington, Belmont, State – DN will look into it, talk to TAC

General –Time Line & Basketball Courts

Jaspan – Tree buffer, noise level, light leakage, bathroom maintenance

Matilde – Water Management, Conservation and Wetland Impact

Brush – Space between soccer fields, storage area for nets, protective netting, lighting

Yan – Multi sport access (lacrosse), turf and lights

McBride – Complimented plan, Keep woodland in mind

Hutyra – Usage schedule between parties, openness of park space to public (playground, walking trails, etc.)

Lennox – Batting cage electricity and storage, small diamond fencing (temp fence)

Hedlund –Too much going into one site, do you need all uses – (baseball verse soccer/lax etc.)

Hassell – 50/70 Diamond and other town alternatives, basketball court

Carroll – Small diamond fencing would be great

Gallagher – Parking along Shelley, Condition of Shelley, Light timing and leakage

General – Light placement, overflow parking at church, and access paths from Browning to park